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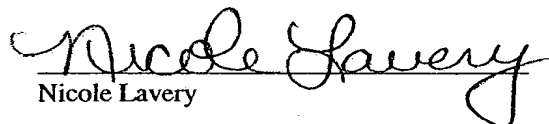
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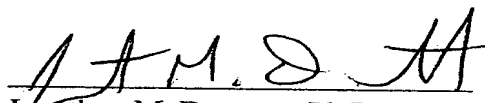
It is hereby requested that the term to respond to the Examiner's Action of January 30, 2003 be extended three months, from April 30, 2003 to July 30, 2003.

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